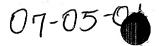


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For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR CUSTOMIZED MAIL PIECE PRODUCTION VIA A DATA CENTER

Enclosed are:

15 pages comprising the specification, claims, and abstract.

4 sheets of drawings.

An unexecuted Declaration and Power of Attorney.

An Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449 Form, and copy of each referenced cited.

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